

Randomised controlled trial of the effectiveness of a schools-based, peer-led, smoking intervention

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Plain English summary of protocol
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G9900538

Study information

Scientific Title

Acronym

ASSIST (A Stop Smoking in Schools Trial)

Study objectives

1. To ascertain whether peer-leaders can be recruited and trained to reduce take-up of smoking among their peers and encourage those peers to maintain their non-smoking status
2. To ascertain whether those peer-leaders may also impact on smoking cessation among peers
3. To assess the costs of the intervention against a range of outcomes using a 'costs & consequences' approach
4. To undertake a process evaluation and produce an intervention manual

Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

Ethics approval(s)

Not provided at time of registration.

Study design

Randomised controlled trial

Primary study design

Interventional

Study type(s)

Not Specified

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied

Public health, social medicine

Interventions

Smoking behaviour of Year 8 pupils, followed up for 2 years

Intervention Type

Other

Phase

Not Specified

Primary outcome(s)

Change in smoking prevalence among the 'high risk' group (experimenters, ex-smokers and less than weekly smokers), change in prevalence in the year group. Smoking prevalence is operationalised as that proportion having smoked in the last 7 days.

Key secondary outcome(s)

Perception of norms regarding adolescent smoking, intention to quit.

Completion date

30/04/2005

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria

Year 8 pupils in state secondary schools, where schools, parents and pupils agree to participation

Participant type(s)

Patient

Healthy volunteers allowed

No

Age group

Child

Sex

Not Specified

Key exclusion criteria

Not provided at time of registration

Date of first enrolment

01/01/2001

Date of final enrolment

30/04/2005

Locations

Countries of recruitment

United Kingdom

Wales

Study participating centre

School of Social Sciences

Cardiff

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Sponsor information

Organisation

Cardiff University (UK)

ROR

https://ror.org/03kk7td41

Funder(s)

Funder type

Research council

Funder Name

Medical Research Council (MRC) (UK)

Alternative Name(s)

Medical Research Council (United Kingdom), UK Medical Research Council, Medical Research Committee and Advisory Council, MRC

Funding Body Type

Government organisation

Funding Body Subtype

National government

Location

United Kingdom

Results and Publications

Individual participant data (IPD) sharing plan

IPD sharing plan summary

Not provided at time of registration

Study outputs

Output type	Details	Date created	Date added	Peer reviewed?	Patient-facing?
Results article	results:	10/05/2008		Yes	No
Results article	results	01/12/2009		Yes	No
Protocol article	protocol:	22/04/2005		Yes	No